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Applicant

: Dieter Bäcker et al.

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AMENDMENT

Hon. Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive to the Office action dated June 5, 2003 kindly amend the above-identified application as follows:

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